

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8423  
INFO AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EAIR, SU  
SUBJ: OVERFLIGHT CLEARANCE FOR AIRLIFT INTERNATIONAL

REFS: (A) SECSTATE 226165 (B) ADDIS ABABA 3963

1. SUDANESE CIVIL AIR AUTHORITIES HAVE NO REPEAT NO RECORD OF  
REF A REQUESTS FOR OVERFLIGHT BY AIRLIFT INTERNATIONAL. SHOULD  
NOTE THAT MUSLIM RAHMADIN HOLIDAYS WERE IN EFFECT MAJORITY TIME  
THAT CLEARANCE REQUESTED. IN ADDITION, KHARTOUM DISFUCNTIONED  
DURING SAME PERIOD BECAUSE OF UNCERTAIN ELECTRICITY, PETROL AND  
WATER. THEREFORE ALTHOUGH REQUEST SENT, FOR NUMBER OF REASONS IT  
MAY HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED.

2. EMBASSY HAS SENT DIP NOTE TO MFA REQUESTING URGENT PROCESSING  
OF REF A REQUEST. APPROVAL COULD TAKE 3-7 DAYS. SINCE OVERFLIGHT  
OF SUDAN AN ALTERNATE ROUTING AND PER REF B ETHIOPIAN ROUTING  
APPROVED SUGGEST FLIGHT PROCEED AVOIDING SUDAN AIRSPACE.  
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NOTE BY OC/T: TELEGRAM DELAYED IN TRANSMISSION.  
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